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## PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

**Assistant Commissioner of Patents** and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants herewith request a three-month extension of time to respond to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed January 10, 2001 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136.

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